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Serial No.: 09/142,970

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Sir:

This is a petition to extend the time for filing a response to the official action dated December 19, 2000 in the above-identified patent application.

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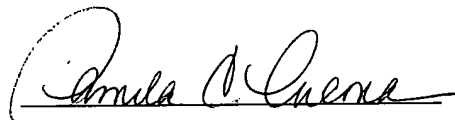
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Respectfully submitted,

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